

Application or Docket Number

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

**PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD**  
 Subtitle for Form PTO-976
**APPLICATION AS FILED - PART I**

(Column 1) (Column 2)

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
SEARCH FEE (37 CFR 1.14(a), (b), or (c))		
EXAMINATION FEE (37 CFR 1.15(a), (b), or (c))		
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.15b)	minus 20 =	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(d))	minus 3 =	
APPLICATION SIZE FEE (37 CFR 1.16(e))	If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional sheet beyond 100. This fee is in addition to the search and examination fees. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(e).	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(m))		

SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE (\$)	FEES (\$)	RATE (\$)
x 25		x 50
x 100		x 300
OR		
180		360
TOTAL		TOTAL

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.

**APPLICATION AS AMENDED - PART II**

12/7/06

AMENDMENT A	CLAINS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total (37 CFR 1.16(e))	11	Minus	20
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(d))	8	Minus	7
Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(e))			
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(m))			

SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE (\$)	ADDI- TIONAL FEE (\$)	RATE (\$)
x 25		x 50
x 100		x 300
180		360
TOTAL ADDL.FEE		TOTAL ADDL.FEE

6-7-07

AMENDMENT B	CLAINS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total (37 CFR 1.16(e))	17	Minus	20
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(d))	8	Minus	8
Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(e))			
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(m))			

SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE (\$)	ADDI- TIONAL FEE (\$)	RATE (\$)
x 25		x 50
x 100		x 300
180		360
TOTAL ADDL.FEE		TOTAL ADDL.FEE

\* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "0".

\*\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3".

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.16. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and, by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. TIME WILL VARY depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9198 and select option 2.